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WALKS ABOUT TOWN.

It is my opinion that the cross town stage company will have trouble this winter in running their cars on account of ice water collecting on the tracks and freezing for there are many places along said street where the track is considerably lower than the surface of the road.

Notice a great improvement going on at the D. L. & W. depot. If the company would erect a new station it would please the residents of the town and go far toward drawing more people to Bloomfield, thereby putting more money in their stores.

Market Street is only one block in length but is built up on both sides by very comfortable houses occupied by people in moderate circumstances who pay a good share of the taxes and keep their surroundings in good order. The street until this summer was in a fairly passable condition, but the powers that be "thought to improve upon it, and put men at work grading some two months ago. After finishing that task they dumped some loose sand and gravel in the centre of the roadway, and now after a rain, it is an old fashioned mud-hole with the prospect of getting worse if possible this winter.

Residents of Bloomfield when they go to attend the theatre need not go to New York and arrive home at 1 A.M. instead, good plays and good companies can be seen at Music Hall, Orange, twice or three times a week, and brother Tipton's, which are nicely warmed up in twenty feet of Music Hall entrance waiting for passengers on the last stop over until the performance is concluded, arriving in Bloomfield about 10 P.M.

Today, a new paper bidding for the support of the theatre along the line of the D. L. & W. R. R., including the Bloomfield branch, called the Morris and Essex News. It presents a fine appearance and is typographically very clear and neat. It will chronicle all local events, etc., happening in cities and towns along the line of the road. There have been other ventures of the kind here before. May success attend this effort.

In an Orange local paper I notice that weather signals are to be displayed every day for the benefit of the residents. The forecasts are telegraphed from Washington each day and the signals are hoisted at 8 A.M., indicating what weather to expect for the next twenty-four hours. Why cannot some enterprising person in Bloomfield give us the same benefit?

A gas pipe left sticking out of the ground under the railroad bridge on Broad Street has caused many an unlucky trip to citizens crossing there at night. Went to the Spwells Committee, but it went elsewhere.

Montclair Township Committee. A complaint was made to the Township Committee of Montclair, Tuesday evening, by William Marcus, of the bad condition of Mountain Avenue, south of Watchung Avenue, which was referred to the Road Committee. The Citizens' Committee of One Hundred, represented by Samuel Crump, appear before the body and complained of the action of the Montclair police for not doing their duty at a recent ball in the town where liquor was sold. The police were present in their uniforms, said Mr. Crump, and saw everything that went on, including a fight which the police made no attempt to stop. The committee decided to investigate the charges at an early day by bringing the police, one by one, before them and also to give them instructions as to what their duties are. The subject of numbering the houses in the town was brought up. As the township is entitled to a free delivery of mails, the committee will undoubtedly have the work done at once.

Corporal Tanner's Lecture. The following are among many complimentary notices of Corporal Tanner, who lectures at Dodd's Hall next Friday evening:

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I wish he has no superiors and but few equals, if any, as a talker on war topics. I would go miles to hear him.—*General Young, of Toledo, O.*

Last evening, at the Howard Avenue Congregational Church, Mr. John G. Parker James, from Boston, before a large and appreciative audience, his subject being "Soldier Life—Grave and Gay." He told a very interesting story of the soldier in actual service, relating many incidents in connection with his duties at "the front," and held the attention of his audience for nearly two hours with the recital of scenes in camp, on the battle field and in the hospitals during the Civil War.

WANDERER. Injured on the Railroad.

Adams, a conductor on the N. Y. & L. R. R., and a resident of Alden Street, Orange, met with a serious accident near the tunnel Tuesday afternoon. He was running on one of the afternoon trains on the Erie branch from Orange to New York. At this side of the track the train was stopped by a signal, and Adams stepped off on the west bound track to investigate. He was struck by a slightly approaching west-bound train. When picked up it was found that an arm, one of his legs and several ribs were broken, and he was cut and bruised. Adams was at once conveyed to a hospital in Jersey City and his family in Orange

Sam. Small's Lecture.

Rev. Samuel Small, the Georgia Evangelist, will give his noted lecture "From Bar-room to Pulpit," in Music Hall, Orange, Saturday evening, December 8th. Admission 50 cents, reserved seats, 75 cents. Tickets to be had at Parson's drug store, or of any of the ladies of the Union, and the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the W. C. T. U., and at the door.

The lecture is the story of his rescue as related by himself. It is full of eloquence, pathos and soul-stirring details.

Mr. Small is thirty-five years of age and has already made a National reputation. As a newspaper man he has had an unusual training and experience. His "Old St Papers" are widely known. He is a man thoroughly in earnest and his life is true to his profession.

The Chicago Evening News speaks of him: "The speaker was the gifted and brilliant young Georgian, Sam Small, as he is familiarly called by the people and press who have created within the past seven months a fame as an evangelist and a temperance advocate which has swept over this country in a degree unparalleled by that of any other man older than he in the kingdom and service of the Divine Master. In the religious world he is the phenomenon of the present day, and bids fair to become worthy of a place alongside of Spurgeon, Talmage and other great, grand men, who have been accorded the foremost places among the hosts of the Lord for their piety, zeal, learning and eloquence."

The Cincinnati Gazette in its report of the lecture says: "One of the most impressive and pathetic sermons on intemperance and its awful effects on mankind, ever delivered in this city, and it was the personal experience of a man whose culture, knowledge and experience entitles his words to the deepest consideration."

The lecture was repeated five times in Boston by special request, each time drawing crowded houses.

The lecture is the first of a series of lectures and entertainments to be given under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Orange, for the purpose of raising funds for the support of the work and for the new building.

C. Cooper of Montclair, has purchased Mr. Dancer's circulating library and is offering it for sale at twenty cents per volume. It comprises many choice works of fiction, travel and history. It is a rare opportunity to secure good books at a low figure.

John Lanahan, who was seriously injured by being kicked by Thos. Relley in a drunken row in the Bowery last Thursday night, is recovering. Fear was entertained that his injuries would prove fatal. Relley is in jail.

Dr. Duffield Declines. A telegram was received from Dr. Howard Duffield, of Detroit, declining the call to the Second Presbyterian Church of Newark, and stating that he would remain in his present charge. Dr. Duffield, in addition to this call, had under consideration one to a church in Philadelphia. A letter was received from him last week in which he expressed his appreciation of the confidence reposed in him and the entirely unexpected character of it, but he stated that his relations in Detroit were so pleasant and the field so attractive that he felt great doubts about leaving it, although the pastor of a solid and successful a church as the Second was not without its advantages. He expected to come East in a few days, and would seek a personal conference with the representatives of the church here, if he did not come to any conclusion before the visit. It appears, however, that he has decided not to come, and the Second Church people will look elsewhere.

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